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## IN THE UNITED STATES PATENT AND TRADEMARK OFFICE

In re Application of: Stefan Pallazza Application No.: 09/682865

Filed: October 25, 2001

For: Balloon Folding Apparatus

Examiner: Vi X. Nguyen

Group Art Unit: 3731

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## AMENDMENT

This Amendment is in response to the Advisory Action dated **December 11, 2006** and is being filed concurrently with a Request for Continued Examination (RCE).

If an extension of time is required to make this response timely and no separate petition is enclosed, Applicant hereby petitions for an extension of time sufficient to make the response timely. In the event that this response requires the payment of government fees and payment is not enclosed, please charge Deposit Account No. 22-0350.

Please amend the application as follows:

Amendments to the claims begin on page 2.

Remarks begin on page 12.